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BUSINESS IN THE SENATE

Income Tax Bill Goes to a Special Committee of Five.

Is Spain Protesting Against the Use of These Islands by the United States for Coaling Purposes?

In the Senate this morning there were eleven members present.

After approving the journals of June 1 and 2 and hearing a communication from the House relating to the passage of the Income Tax bill and the substitute to Senate Bill 26, relating to Schedule E, Senator Holstein caused a personal communication from Theo. H. Davies & Co. relating to the proposed duty on chicory and requesting that such duty be omitted on chicory now on the way here, to be read. It was then referred to the Committee in charge of the bill.

Senator McCandless propounded the following question to the Minister of Foreign Affairs:

"Has the representative of Spain to this country entered a protest against allowing the United States the use of these islands as a coaling and supply station? If so, will you please furnish the Senate a copy of such protest."

Senator Schmidt from the Committee on Accounts reported the auditing and allowance of May bills against the Senate, amounting to \$817.15.

Senator Rice reported printed copies of the Weights and Measures bill.

Senator Holstein presented the following report, which was ordered considered with the bill:

The Judiciary Committee to whom was referred House Bill No. 57, relating to corporations organized under the laws of foreign countries, report that the main object of the bill is to compel foreign corporations doing business here to file an annual exhibit of the condition of their business affairs, thus placing them on the same footing as domestic corporations.

The Act also provides that foreign corporations shall not have any of the special powers conferred upon railroad or banking corporations. We do not believe that foreign corporations should enjoy special powers or privileges conferred upon home or domestic corporations, and as long as they have and enjoy the powers necessary for the general conduct and carrying on of an ordinary business venture they should be satisfied; the fact of their being incorporated in a foreign country is a sufficient answer to the non-enjoyment of special powers, as such special powers may be obtained by incorporating in this Republic.

We do not believe this law can affect any existing foreign corporations as to the power or right of their enjoying such special powers either at law or by treaty, as the powers if taken advantage of or acquired have become vested rights or property rights, and as

such no law this Legislature can pass can divest them of, as under our Constitution vested rights of property are protected and can only be taken in the manner and for the purposes provided by the Constitution.

Under existing law there was no penalty for the non-performance or observance by foreign corporations of our laws in regard to corporations. The law under consideration gives the Minister of the Interior power to compel an exhibit of their books and papers touching the business carried on by them; and upon a refusal to exhibit as requested, the equity side of the Court can be invoked to compel such an exhibit upon penalties and liabilities set forth in the Act.

We recommend the passage of the bill.

The Judiciary Committee also reported on House Bill No. 73, being an Act to amend Section 1448 of the Civil Code relating to the descent of property, that under the law of descent of property now existing a person who was related to the party so dying beyond the line of brother or sister of either parent could not come in for a share. That law prevented a grandfather inheriting from his grandchild if there were no other relations on the father or mother's side, and escheat to the Government for lack of statutory heirs would take place.

The Act under consideration removes all that and an escheat will now take place upon a total failure of kindred. The Chief Justice in his report recommends that the law now on the statute books be amended on a line with the bill now under consideration. The committee think that as long as there are any blood relations or kindred of the person dying intestate in existence, no escheat should take place, and therefore recommend the passage of the bill.

A number of other reports on House Bills were also made by the Judiciary Committee.

Senator Schmidt from the Finance Committee reported favorably on House Bill 86, giving the Minister of Finance authority to borrow money from local banks when necessary to the amount of \$150,000. The bill was on the statute books but expired by limitation in April last. The report was adopted and the bill passed second reading.

The following House Bills were then taken up with the respective reports thereon and passed second reading:

House Bill 73, relating to descent of property.

House Bill 85, appeals from decisions of District Magistrates.

House Bill 57, relating to incorporated companies.

House Bill 81, pounds, estrays and brands.

Third reading of all the above bills ordered for tomorrow.

Senate Bill 37, eligibility of persons to hold office, was deferred until Senator Kepoika's return.

House Bill 8, income tax law, passed first reading; also House substitute to Senate Bill 26, relating to Schedule E. Both bills were then referred to a Special Committee consisting of Senators Baldwin, McCandless, Wilcox, Brown and Lyman.

At 11:30 a. m. the Senate adjourned.

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MONEY TO MOVE MAGAZINE

The House Votes \$7500 for Removing the Menace to Public Safety.

Items for Improving Union Street and Several Others Inserted in Appropriation Bill.

In the House this morning, Representative Kaai asked leave of absence for two weeks on account of sickness in his family. Granted.

Consideration of Senate Bill 4, current account appropriation, was resumed.

The following items were inserted: Removing powder magazine, \$7500, on report of military committee;

Macadamizing Punchbowl street from Pauoa bridge to Alapai street, \$5000, on motion of Rep. A. V. Gear.

Macadamizing street at Kaluapalena, Kalihi, \$1500, on motion of Rep. W. C. Achi;

Repairs to Houghtailing Lane, \$700;

Macadamizing Government Road from Moanalua to Pukaki, \$500.

Road damages and widening Union street, \$6000.

Substitute to House Bill No. 23 was taken up. Minister Damon submitted an amendment, which was after some discussion referred to the Special Committee on the bill, and further action on the bill was deferred until the committee reports. Recess till 2 o'clock.

THE GROWING FRIENDSHIP.

Canucks and Yanks at Niagara Falls Unite in Each Other's Celebrations.

The following dispatch in the Montreal Witness relates most remarkable instances of border friendship between Americans and Canadians:

Niagara Falls, N. Y., May 18.—When the 42nd Separate Company of Volunteers left for Camp Black today four Canadian fire companies with a band and Union Jack came over the river to bid the soldiers goodspeed and victory. In recognition of the unusual courtesy the common council of this city has taken the unprecedented action of declaring a holiday on May 24, the Queen's Birthday, on which occasion all the city officials will be closed and the city officials will cross the river and bid the Canadians in celebrating the day. One half of the receipts of both bridges will be given to the fund raised to support the families of Niagara Falls men at the front.

Variety Show.

The boys of Honolulu will again come forward with their best variety show next Saturday. They are willing to show that Honolulu boys can do something by combination and strict attention to business. They expect to see all the old faces in the audience.

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EDITOR EVENING BULLETIN:—

The California newspapers brought by the Doric last Friday night announce that Colonel Harrison Gray Otis, editor and general manager of the Los Angeles Times, has been nominated by President McKinley to be Brigadier General of California Volunteers. This important nomination is of general interest here, because it is more than probable that General Otis will soon be in Honolulu on his way to Manila; it is of interest to all newspaper people, because one of their brethren has been honored; it is of especial interest to me, because General Otis is one of my oldest and best personal friends, and I am the Hawaiian correspondent for his paper. Having known General Otis intimately for nearly a quarter of a century, and spent considerable of that time working with him, I know his character well—better than any people do—and setting aside my personal satisfaction that my friend has been chosen from among many worthy competitors, it is still my belief that no fitter man for the position lives, and the history of the present war, if General Otis is permitted to go to the front, will so show.

General H. G. Otis is a man having many enemies; but the very qualities that have made him a target for hateful words, will be of great service to his country in this trying time. I doubt if any man ever accused General Otis of being dishonest; but his convictions are strong, and as editor of a great newspaper—in my judgment the best newspaper on the Pacific Coast—he has been relentless in his attacks on what he considered to be great public wrongs. Hence it is no marvel he has enemies; even in high places, for his shafts have been sent in many directions; but while opposing his nomination, his enemies admit he has an honorable military record made in the war of the rebellion, that he is a good disciplinarian, fearless and a "born fighter." In some respects his character is like that of the immortal Ulysses S. Grant, who said, it will be remembered, "we'll fight it out on that line if it takes all summer!" "I love him for the enemies he has made"—and for many other reasons.

Least there may be confusion of personalities, I mention, in closing this testimony, that there are two Generals on the Pacific Coast bearing the name of Otis—Brigadier-General E. S. Otis, of the regular army, who may accompany the second expedition to Manila expected to arrive in Honolulu some time this week, and General H. G. Otis just nominated to be Brigadier General of California Volunteers, and who may be expected to go to the same destination soon.

LEYERETT H. MESICK.

In Pleasant Remembrance.

F. J. Dutro, general traveling agent on the islands for the Germania Life Insurance Co. by request of many friends amongst the San Francisco boys in blue, does most sincerely thank the ladies, natives and citizens of Honolulu for their kind heartedness towards the boys. Mr. Dutro will write by first mail to the coast and tell many a friend how the boys were received in Honolulu. He was very much surprised to meet some of the boys, leaving good mothers and homes—especially a young man named C. P. Richardson, head salesman for a wholesale house on Market street, San Francisco, who gives up \$125 a month to fight for the flag of his native land.

Houses cannot be built without walls and homes cannot be made comfortable without pictures to cover the bare places on the walls. If you have the walls, we have the pictures to cover them. Yours truly, King Bros., 110 Hotel street.

LOCAL RED CROSS SOCIETY

Grand Scheme Quite Becoming Honolulu's Reputation for Charity.

Meeting for Organization This Afternoon—The Work Will Be Here When Next Transports Come.

Honolulu is to have a Red Cross Society. Dr. Wayson, the originator of the plan, has been before the Committee of 100 and they have endorsed the idea. A meeting will be held in the hall of the Y. M. C. A. this afternoon at 4 o'clock to organize. The society will be known as the Hawaiian Red Cross Society. Its object is to furnish hospital accommodations and care for the sick and ailing soldiers of the Manila expedition who may be left here en route by the transports. The crowded condition of the ships prevents in a measure the proper care and attention being given the sick soldiers.

An effort will be made to have Mrs. Harold M. Sewall take the presidency and Princess Kaiulani one of the vice presidencies of the society.

Each ship arriving is to be boarded by one of the visiting committee who will tender the aid of the local society to the surgeons of the expedition on their arrival here. The use of a suitable beach place has been tendered where a hospital of tents will be established. Men too sick to be removed from the ships will be supplied with diet and nursed with the permission of the surgeons in charge.

Those who visited the transports when here and know the conditions under which the men live are of the opinion that the society when formed will have no small amount of work to do, and that its services will be acceptable and appreciated.

All interested are invited to attend the meeting at the Y. M. C. A. this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Accident in Channel.

A yachting accident occurred Saturday afternoon in the channel. Early in the afternoon a party of young folks started out in the yacht *Enith L.* for a sail. There was a stiff breeze blowing and a nice sail was enjoyed to Diamond Head and back to the entrance of the channel. When making a tack the boat was hit by a squall, breaking the mast off close to the deck. It was near the breakers and they were very high. Sam Dowsett, one of the party, threw a rope over a buoy as they were passing, which kept the boat from getting into the surf. The Bennington launch arrived and, taking the young ladies aboard, towed the disabled boat to a safe mooring. Before the cruiser's launch came up, preparations had been made for rowing the yacht ashore.

Senator Geo. N. Wilcox and Representative Fague returned to town yesterday.

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